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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Assignee: VERITAS Operating Corporation

Title: TRANSFORMING UNRELATED DATA
VOLUMES INTO RELATED DATA VOLUMES

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Examiner: Mahesh H. Dwivedi Group Art Unit: 2168

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Austin, Texas
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MAIL STOP RCE
Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions for a one-month extension of time within which to respond outstanding Office Action dated May 31, 2006, such extension allowing the undersigned until Monday, October 2, 2006, since September 30, 2006, falls on a Saturday.

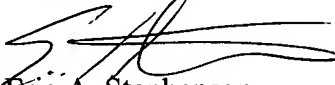
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